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In re Application of :  
John D. Schellenberg :  
Application No. 08/756,257 : ON PETITION  
Filed: November 25, 1996 :  
Attorney Docket No. 4204.7-1 :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 7, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed September 11, 2001, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on December 12, 2001.

The Revocation/New Power of Attorney filed August 7, 2002 is noted and made of record.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Wan Laymon at (703) 305-9282.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 3737.

  
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